

TWENTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT.

Bezar, Medina, Bandera, Kerr, Edicards, Gillespie, Mason, Kimble, Menard, Crockett, Tom Green, Presidio, El Paso, and Pecos counties; Bezar the returning county.—Augustus Weyman Houston, of San Antonio, was born in Lauderdale county, Alabama, August 3, 1850; came to Texas with his father in 1851, and settled in San Antonio; was educated at Washington College, Virginia; graduated in the law department of Cumberland University, and licensed to practice law January 19, 1871, at Lebanon, Tennessee, and immediately thereafter commenced practice in San Antonio; elected to the Senate as a Democrat, November 5, 1873, served four years and re-elected November 7, 1882; on the organization of the Senate in January, 1883, Senator Houston was unanimously elected President pro tem. of the Senate. Term expires November, 1884.